AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [1002] on page 1, line 7 - page 2, line 10, with the following amended paragraph:

[1002] The present invention is related to the following Applications for Patent in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office:

- "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OVERHEAD MESSAGING IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" by Nikolai Leung, having U.S. Application No. 09/933,971 Attorney Docket No. 010439, filed August 20, 2001 concurrently herewith and assigned to the assignee hereof, and which is expressly incorporated by reference herein;
- "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OUT-OF-BAND TRANSMISSION OF BROADCAST SERVICE OPTION IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" by Nikolai Leung, having <u>U.S. Application No. 09/934,021 Attorney Docket No. 010437</u>, filed <u>August 20, 2001 concurrently herewith</u> and assigned to the assignee hereof, and which is expressly incorporated by reference herein;
- "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BROADCAST SIGNALING IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" by Nikolai Leung, having U.S. Application No. 09/933,914 Attorney Docket No. 010438, filed August 20, 2001 concurrently herewith and assigned to the assignee hereof, and which is expressly incorporated by reference herein;
- "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRANSMISSION FRAMING IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" by Raymond Hsu, having U.S. Application No. 09/933,639 Attorney Docket No. 010498, filed August 20, 2001 concurrently herewith and assigned to the assignee hereof, and which is expressly incorporated by reference herein;
- "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DATA TRANSPORT IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" by Raymond Hsu, having <u>U.S. Application No. 09/933,977</u> Attorney Docket No. 010499, filed <u>August 20, 2001</u> concurrently herewith and assigned to the assignee hereof, and which is expressly incorporated by reference herein; and

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"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HEADER COMPRESSION IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM" by Raymond Hsu, having <u>U.S. Application No. 09/933,690 Attorney Docket No. 010500</u>, filed <u>August 20, 2001 concurrently horewith</u> and assigned to the assignee hereof, and which is expressly incorporated by reference herein.

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